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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification (PTOM327-A) dated January 30, 2008, the time for reply to which extending to and including February 29, 2008, and prior to payment of the Issue Fee in the subject application, please amend this application as follows, and consider the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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